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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Re: Application of Shinichi KONDO, Takashi SANADA
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING MODIFIED POLYOLEFIN RESIN
Assignee: SUMITOMO CHEMICAL COMPANY, LIMITED
Our Ref. Q76829

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 13 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment.

The Government filing fee, after entry of the Preliminary Amendment is calculated as follows:

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|---------------------------|--------|---|--|---|---------|---|-----------------|
| Total claims | 4 - 20 | = | | x | \$18.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Independent claims | 1 - 3 | = | | x | \$84.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | \$750.00 |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | | | \$750.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | | | | | | | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | | | | | | | \$790.00 |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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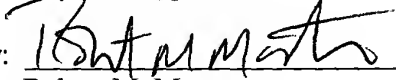
Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| Japan | 2003-085104 | March 26, 2003 |

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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